

# REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Date of entry in Register: 12 August 2002  
 Name of applicant/court: The Film and Video Labelling Body Inc.  
 Applicant to the Labelling Body: Roadshow Entertainment (NZ) Ltd  
 Title of Publication: O  
 Other Known Titles: "O"  
 Director: Tim Blake Nelson  
 Producers: Eric Gitter, Daniel L. Fried, Anthony Rhulen  
 Publisher: Not Applicable  
 Author: Not Applicable  
 Format: DVD (Zone 4)  
 Country of Origin: USA  
 Language: English

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## Components of film originally examined:

Menu:	Play Movie Scene Selection Special Features Sound And Subtitle		
Feature:	O	Running time:	90.46
Other Moving Components:	Roadshow Entertainment Notices (2 Notices) Copyright Warning Notice Dolby Digital Notice Deleted Scenes (4 Scenes) Basketball Scenes Analysis (3 Scenes) Interviews (4 Interviews) Theatrical Trailer (O)	Running time:	0.22 0.10 0.32 9.07 7.58 6.22 2.00
Other Components:	Director's Commentary Biography		
		Total Running time:	117.17

Excision/Alteration: No Excisions Recommended.

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Reason(s) for Excision:

Not Applicable.

Classification Decision:

Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 16 years.

Display Conditions:

Nil.

Descriptive Note:

Contains violence, offensive language and drug use.

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Direction to issue a label has been given on: 07 August 2002

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#### **SUMMARY OF THE REASONS FOR DECISION:**

The DVD O is classified as:

Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 16 years.

O contains a feature previously examined and classified as a video recording by the Office of Film and Literature Classification. The video recording was classified as "Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 16 years", with the descriptive note "Contains violence, offensive language and drug use". This decision was dated 15 July 2002.

The DVD version of O contains additional material comprising four notices, interviews, deleted scenes, actor biographies and background information about the making of O. There is nothing in the DVD version that requires an alteration to be made to the classification given to the video recording version of the publication. Therefore the previous classification of O as "Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 16 years" is appropriate, with the same descriptive note.

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